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## COPYRIGHT ROYALTY TRIBUNAL

[Dockets No. 84-1-83CD and 85-4-84CD]

NOTICE OF PARTIAL DISTRIBUTION OF 1983 CABLE COPYRIGHT ROYALTY FEES

AGENCY: Copyright Royalty Tribunal

ACTION: Notice of Partial Distribution; Notice of Postponement

of Procedural Dates

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Edward W. Ray, Chairman, Copyright Royalty Tribunal, 1111 20th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, (202)653-5175.

SUMMARY: The Copyright Royalty Tribunal announces it will make a partial distribution of the 1983 cable copyright royalty fund.

The Tribunal also announces it will postpone the commencement of the 1984 Phase II cable distribution proceeding.

EFFECTIVE DATES: The partial distribution of the 1983 cable copyright royalty fund shall take place on June 26, 1986. The filing of written direct cases in the 1984 Phase II cable distribution proceeding shall be made on September 15, 1986.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A Joint Motion For Distribution of 1983 Royalties was filed June 13, 1986 with the Copyright Royalty Tribunal by all the parties who participated in the 1983 cable royalty distribution proceeding. The parties requested that the Tribunal treat all the 1983 royalties which were previously distributed by the Tribunal on June 27, 1985 as basic fund royalties, to distribute as soon as possible the rest of the fund

which constitute basic fund and 3.75% fund royalties, and to withhold, pending resolution by the Court of Appeals of certain appeals taken by the parties, the entire part of the fund which constitutes syndicated exclusivity surcharge (syndex) royalties.

The parties further agree that should it occur, either because of settlement or court decisions, that any party has received an amount in excess of its entitlement, the party will refund the overpayment as provided in the Tribunal's May 29, 1986 distribution order.

The Tribunal grants the joint motion and will make partial distribution of the 1983 cable copyright royalty fund according to the terms of the joint motion on June 26, 1986.

In addition, the Tribunal has received indications from several of the parties to the 1984 Phase II cable distribution proceeding that the proper production of evidence cannot take place in time to meet the procedural schedule announced earlier by the Tribunal, 51 FR 21587 (June 13, 1986). Accordingly, the Tribunal had modified its schedule. Written direct cases in Phase II shall be filed on September 15, 1986. The procedural dates to follow will be announced at a later time.

Mario F. Aguero Acting Chairman

Dated: June 20, 1986

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